## Nesa Meeting Notes / June 26 Winston-Salem

- \* Bruce Nix .... New Finance Mgr (have Alice check on Association check)
- \* Get an update on Gambardella .... where is he willing to move.
- \* Work-with Dan Harrington
- \* Development program for every new Mgr. since last October .... Mgr. develops
  - Diane Reuter
  - Louann Alese
  - Frank Perez
  - any others?

(talk to previous Mgrs. for input)

- \* DM/Kam ..... DM/RBM .... DM/Rom ..... must go to W-S to reach RSM.
- \* What is our status on new Doral packaging and New Doral Box?
  - Doral Price Check Jackpot promotion ....?
- \* Jim Guaneri is now on DLW's succession plan!
- \* Audrey notified by GNK of new RM position in North Jersey.
  - Make decision on Audreys AM position .... Art Groli
  - Art's position ..... Feltman, Harrington, Fabris .... no outsides want!
  - Factor ..... AM opening to replace Bob Fricke
- \* Bonus level contracts ...... do not sign any new ..... MaGuire VM copied Friday 6/26.
  - Appears PM is rethinking their 70%+ objective .... may back off...... if they do this ..... unnecessary RJR spending at the +\$.50 / PM may raise \$.
  - \$800,000,000 million est spending in 1998 on discounts / \$430 Million in 97.
  - Goal is 30% at the bonus level ..... chains are jumping on the bonus
  - Start selling Full Partnership level ..... remove bonus info from presentations
- \* Division .... how many are now using the retail folders.
- \* Future promotions ..... double dipping as explained was wrong.......
  - We want to everything possible not to double dip
  - If it gets down to .... double dip or we can potentially loose contract / then D/D
- \* Salem semi-permanent metal display ..... where do we stand ..... have plenty in W/S
  - Include up to date Salem results in upcoming meeting.
  - Results look strong / static sample
- \* Review AE notes at upcoming meeting / re: contracts
- \* Larry Giddeons ...... slammed big time ..... review his handouts.
- \* Regional Recognition Awards Program .... now standardized for all regions
  - review changes and incorporate into ours .... payments etc.
- \* Succession planning / Career Advancement program / Position dev. program
  - PRESENT AT AC Meeting
  - Career advancement program .... 8 nationally
  - 6 month program / current position filled /long commitment to move to position when finished willing to travel during the 6mo. training ... no exceptions "Fast Track Program"
  - Training Mentors selected by all RSM's and WS staff input:

Kam: Neil Mccleary & Curt Moser

DM: Neil Wagner & Pat Coloren

RM: Sarah (cinn)

AM: Shore (cinn)

RBM: Mike McHugh & Tom Fitzen

ROM: Rory O'Rourke & Mark Goodman

- \* Promotion execution .... new report in the system .... must correct reporting errors.
- \* Great SR/TR development program.....
  - Have each put together their own assignment plan & present at meeting
  - Follow-up presentation .... 6mo. later on results .... see example.
  - Discuss at upcoming meeting ..... require each Div. to follow-through.
- \* Have Mgrs. update succession plan and be prepared to discuss at the meeting.
  - have Alice send blank forms to DM's only.
- \* Contract SCRUB Report and discount spending .... give to Mike
  - Discuss at upcoming meeting